

What is claimed is:

1. An intermediation control apparatus that carries out intermediation between a user and a service provider,

the intermediation control apparatus comprising:

extraction means for determining a range of personal information of a user, for disclosure, based on a kind of request information sent from said user, and extracting said range of personal information from said personal information; and

transaction means for making said extracted range of personal information and contents of a request available to said service provider.

2. An intermediation control apparatus according to claim 1, further including memory means for storing said personal information together with a user ID of said user.

3. An intermediation control apparatus according to claim 2, wherein said extraction means is responsive to said request information including said user ID, for determining disclosure information of said personal information stored in said storage means based on said user ID and said kind of said request information, and extracting said disclosure information from said personal information,.

4. An intermediation control apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said transaction means makes said

extracted range of personal information and said contents of said request available to said service provider on a site where said service provider is permitted to access through authentication.

5. An intermediation control apparatus according to claim 1, further including a management table for managing correlation between said contents of said request and disclosure information of said personal information.

6. An intermediation control apparatus according to claim 5, wherein said extraction means determines said disclosure information based on said management table.

7. An intermediation control apparatus according to claim 1, wherein said extraction means determines said range of personal information of said user, for disclosure, based on an estimate request of an insurance and a type of said insurance, as said request information sent from said user, and extracts said range of personal information from said personal information.

8. A service providing apparatus connected to a network, comprising:

disclosure information-receiving means for receiving disclosure information as a portion of request information received from a user, said portion being permitted to be disclosed; and

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response information-transmitting means for transmitting commodity information created based on said disclosure information, as response information.

9. A service providing apparatus according to claim 8, wherein said disclosure information-receiving means receives, as said request information sent from said user, disclosure information which is a portion of a request of an estimate of an insurance, said portion being permitted to be disclosed.

10. A computer-readable recording medium which stores an intermediation control program for causing a computer to execute intermediation control, said intermediation control program causing said computer to function as:

extraction means for determining a range of personal information of a user, for disclosure, based on a kind of request information sent from said user, and extracting said range of personal information from said personal information; and

transaction means for making said extracted range of personal information and contents of a request available to said service provider.